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Successful Operations

British Column Returns to Kimberley With Boer Prisoners and Refugees.

A Number of Invaders Are Still Roaming Over Part of Cape Colony.

Report That Portion of Infantry Is to Be Withdrawn Is Denied.

Capetown, July 17.—The British column which started from Kimberley some time ago has returned to that place after successful operations in the neighboring districts.

The column brought in 50 prisoners, a large number of refugees and considerable cattle.

The Boer invaders are still roaming all over the upper part of these districts, in the neighborhood of Richmond.

London, July 17.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, Secretary of War Brodrick said the statement printed by the Daily News to the effect that Lord Kitchener had advised the government that it was now possible to withdraw the greater part of the infantry in South Africa, and that the government was considering the question of replacing the infantry with mounted men who would act as a police force along the railway lines, was wholly unauthorized, and was also inaccurate.

Mr. Chamberlain's Views.

London, July 17.—In the course of a debate on the Finance bill in the House of Commons this afternoon, Sir Wm. Yeron Harcourt, Liberal, trenchantly criticized the government's policy, and said those persons believing the statement that the general expenditure would fall after the termination of the war were living in a fool's paradise.

LYNCHING OF ITALIANS.

Recent Affray at Erwin, Miss., is Being Investigated.

Washington, July 17.—The Italian government has taken cognizance of a recent affray at Erwin, Miss., in which it is claimed, two Italians were lynched and a third seriously wounded. The facts have been communicated to the foreign office at Rome and the Italian embassy here has made representations to the state department, at the same time the Italian authorities are pursuing an investigation of their own.

MINERS DROWNED.

Flooding of Pit Resulted in Loss of Sixty Lives.

Yokohama, July 17.—The torrential fall of rain has caused extensive floods throughout Japan. Great damage has resulted, and there have been numerous fatalities.

SHOE INDUSTRY THREATENED.

Vienna, July 17.—Denitto, Benetton has been commissioned by the representatives of the boot and shoe trade to question the Statthalter in the lower Austrian Diet as to what that body intends to do with regard to the threatened invasion of the Vienna market by an American syndicate. The local boot and shoe men consider that American competition menaces the very existence of the whole local industry.

WATER GOING INTO MINES.

Colliery Officials Are at Work in Pitts Thrown Idle By Firemen's Strike.

Pittston, Pa., July 17.—The mines in this section, which are idle owing to the stationary firemen's strike, are said to be filling with water despite the efforts of officials who are themselves in the engine rooms endeavoring to keep the engines warm. The operators are discharging the stationary engineers who refuse to take the strikers' places. The firemen have posted pickets about the mines to prevent a threatened importation of non-union men from Philadelphia.

A NEW RECORD.

Deutschland Reaches Plymouth From New York in Five Days Eleven Hours and Five Minutes.

Plymouth, July 17.—Arriving here this morning the Deutschland made the passage from New York in five days, eleven hours and five minutes, at an average speed of 23.51 knots an hour, over a distance of 3,082 knots. The vessel's highest day's run was 557 knots. This establishes a new eastward speed record.

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FATAL EXPLOSIONS.

One Person Killed and Several Fatally Injured Near St. Petersburg.

Stockholm, July 17.—An explosion occurred to-day at the Gyttopp Powder Works, at Nora, province of Orebro, wrecking seven buildings. Four persons were killed and twenty were injured, several fatally.

QUARTZ AT DEPARTURE BAY.

Discovery Has Caused Great Excitement—A Nanaimo Marriage.

Nanaimo, July 17.—Two prospectors, J. Cushing and A. Thomas, have discovered a very rich quartz proposition at Departure Bay, two miles from this city. They have staked out an extensive area. Others are rushing to the spot and there is considerable excitement over the discovery. Samples of rock, experts declare, will run very high. Miners and prospectors all over Departure Bay are now staking out what is left.

Miss Fanny L. Norris, second daughter of George Norris, proprietor of the Free Press, was married this morning in the Methodist church to V. E. L. Larsen, chief officer of the steamer Ioan. They left for San Francisco immediately after to spend their honeymoon.

Charges By Fishermen

Alleged That Officers Searched Patrol Boat in Gulf Without a Warrant.

A Cannery Owner Charged With Carrying Passengers in an Unlicensed Steamer.

Witness Threatened With Imprisonment For Refusing to Answer Question in Court.

Vancouver, July 17.—Information was this morning laid against police officers Campbell and Johnston for boarding a patrol boat in the Gulf without a search warrant, and for assault and battery. Complaints are laid by Jos. Dunn, fisherman.

Another charge is laid against Police Magistrate Russell, in his capacity as cannery owner, for carrying a large number of Indians and Japs in the steamer Fraser, which is a freight boat, without a license to carry passengers.

During the preliminary hearing of Frank Rogers this morning, several witnesses were examined.

Mr. Senkler appeared for the fishermen, and objected very strenuously to certain evidence. The evidence was admitted, after which Mr. Senkler remarked that it was just like the want of justice that prevailed during the whole hearing.

Judge Alexander said he did not want to hear such language used there; that Mr. Senkler could keep that for outside the court.

Roy Brown, newspaper reporter, was on the stand for an hour and a half as prosecution witness. He was questioned as to published statements of Rogers and the authority for interviews with which his name was given. The witness refused to answer the question as to the name of his informant in a certain statement in which the fishermen told of how they had stopped Japs on the Gulf and later unrooled them. The point of privilege information was argued at length, and finally the witness stated that the answer must be given or else he would enforce the law providing for the committal of the witness for an unlimited time and intimated that refusal could only result in unlimited imprisonment. It was also pointed out that bail would be refused prisoner so long as an answer was not forthcoming.

After a continuance of a long debate the answer was given that Rogers had given the interview.

RAIN BRINGS RELIEF.

Boston, Mass., July 17.—The heat wave had moderated to some extent in Boston to-day, and the early morning temperatures were below 80. Reports from several New England points show that showers have brought relief from the great heat of yesterday.

Omaha, Neb., July 17.—Showers were reported during the night in the south Platte district, breaking the protracted drought in that section and lowering the mercury 15 to 20 degrees. Eight other counties in central Nebraska also reported a fairly good rainfall.

Enon, Wis., July 17.—A terrific rain and electrical storm to-day broke the hot spell prevalent during the past week. The rain was a great benefit to crops in this vicinity.

Denied by Chairman

Committee of Engineers and Firemen Will Not Interview C. P. E. Manager.

Stay in Winnipeg Has No Connection Whatever With the Strike.

Two Persons Killed by Lightning—Man, Supposed to Be Blodin, Arrested.

Winnipeg, July 17.—The statement circulated in certain Winnipeg papers to the effect that a committee of engineers and firemen were here in connection with the striking trackmen, and that they would go out on Saturday if the trackmen's conditions were not accepted by the company, has been contradicted by the chairman of the committee of engineers and firemen over his signature as follows:

"The statement appearing in this morning's Telegram stating that a delegation of engineers and firemen were at present in Winnipeg, with the object of interviewing Mr. McNicoll, the vice-president, in regard to the strike, is without foundation, and totally untrue. The committee of engineers and firemen now here is the same committee that met here in April last, and been here until now. The committee now here are not here for the purpose of meeting or discussing any matters between the company and their employees with Mr. McNicoll, and have not asked for any meeting with him.

(Signed) "Geo. S. McKenzie, chairman of joint schedule committee Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen."

Farm Hand Killed.

Brougham, July 17.—A young farm hand named Lewis, while seeking shelter from a heavy thunderstorm with a hoe on his shoulder, was struck by lightning and instantly killed yesterday afternoon. The hoe is supposed to have attracted the lightning.

Hamilton, Ont., July 17.—While picking berries at Stoney Creek yesterday afternoon Mrs. Jake Hoss, an Indian woman belonging to the Indian reserve at Caledonia, was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Three Large Undertakings and Number of Smaller Ones Now Under Way.

Considerable street work is being carried on in the city at the present time. Outside the removal of the telephone poles on Government street and the extension of the sidewalk, which means an outlay of several thousand dollars, there is the widening of Mendis street and the sewer extension on Quadra street.

The latter work has been under way for about a month, and will occupy some time yet. About fifteen men are employed. The sewer is being extended from the point opposite Cormorant, on Quadra, thence to Frederick and up this street to Cook. The work will cost more than \$1,000. Six men are employed on the widening of Mendis street, which means an outlay of \$2,300. The work will not be finished for a fortnight. Besides these larger undertakings the ordinary improvements are being carried on.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Health Officer of Seattle Who Has Been Asked to Resign Former Resident of Victoria.

Dr. M. E. A. McKechnie, medical health officer of Seattle, who has just been asked for his resignation, is well known in this city, having been at one time a printer in the Colonist. He refused to hand in his resignation, and asked a week's time to consider the matter.

In defense of the position in which he has been placed, Dr. McKechnie made the following statement:

"I have very little to say at this time concerning my relations with the board of health. There are no charges pending against me, so far as I know, at least; I have not been called upon by the board to answer any. A few weeks ago charges that had been made against me by an evening paper were investigated by the board and found to be without foundation.

"I was completely exonerated and my relations with the board are terminated. I have respect for its members and I cannot believe that they would require me without giving me a chance to defend myself from any charges that might be made against me.

Another meeting of the board will be held within the next ten days, and at that time, it is stated, formal action will be taken.

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The Labor Troubles

Striking Miners at Rossland Held Demonstration Yesterday - Parade and Speeches.

Winnipeg Committee of Trackmen Reported Discouraged - Steel Workers' Strike.

Rossland, July 16.-The striking miners had a big demonstration today. About 1,200 men marched, 1,000 being union miners.

The balance of the afternoon was spent in sports. The streets were crowded to-night.

The report that Bernard Macdonald resigned is denied. Everything is quiet here. Many men are leaving for Spokane and Northwest mining points.

C. P. R. Trackmen. Winnipeg, Man., July 16.-The committee of striking trackmen here are becoming very much discouraged.

In the feeling among merchants and farmers is that if the strike continues it may interfere with harvesting operations.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 16.-The second day of the strike closes with the Amalgamated officials in a satisfied mood.

On the other hand the managers will not say a word concerning the strike and refuse to be quoted in any way.

Efforts to secure statements from President of the American Sheet Co., and General Manager Jenks, of the Hoop Co., have been met with the response that there was no change and nothing to be given out.

The Amalgamated people say nothing has been said to them of any plan for mediation or arbitration.

ROSEBERY'S MANIFESTO. Vigilance, Power and Ability, Are Much Needed at Present.

London, July 17. Lord Rosebery has issued a manifesto on the divisions in the Liberal party.

The Liberal party can become a power, he continues, "only when it shall have made up its mind on the Imperial questions which are at this moment embodied in the war."

Lord Rosebery concludes with a gloomy touch. "It is a matter of sorrow and anxiety," he says, "to see a weak government faced by a weaker opposition at a juncture of foreign hostility and international competition which needs all the vigilance, power and ability at our command."

He believes that Great Britain is at a crisis which may have ultimate effects upon its future.

SHIRT WAIST MEN. Hotel Proprietor Refuses to Allow Them in Dining Room.

Montreal, July 16.-The act of Mr. St. Jacques, the proprietor of the Russell House, Ottawa, in declining to admit shirt waist men to the dining room of the hotel was a fruitless source of conversation among the hotel people in the city to-day.

Zest was added to the discussion by the fact that a guest at the Queen's hotel, wearing a dainty shirt waist, walked into the dining room this morning and made a hearty breakfast in spite of the attention attracted.

CONCENTRATION CAMPS. Over Eighty-five Thousand Men, Women and Children Under Care of British.

London, July 16.-In the House of Lords yesterday Lord Raglan, under secretary of state for war, in the course of an announcement that Mr. Brodick was a committee of women to visit the concentration camps in South Africa.

For about one year and a half my face was very badly broken out, writes Miss Carrie, "Eruptions of the face, pimples, etc. I spent a great deal of money with doctors and bought all kinds of medicine, but received no benefit."

C.P.R.'s Move In Far East

Report That She Will Place Two New Ships on the Yokohama Run.

Also That Empresses Will Be Operated on Asiatic Coast Exclusively.

A report is current in the Orient, according to an arrival from the Far East yesterday, that the C. P. R. company purpose placing two large ocean greyhound on the Pacific in opposition to the Great Northern's monster ships, building on the Atlantic seaboard, and intended for service between the Sound and Vladivostok.

When the Empress of India arrived at quarantine yesterday, there was much excitement among the passengers. The powerful tug Sea Lion was on hand to pick up C. C. Fitzmorris, one of the trio of the Hearst newspaper syndicate racing around the world.

In company with the racers a part of their journeyings was a party of prominent Americans, including Samuel Hill, a close-in-law of President Hill, of the Great Northern, and Mr. Labour, a gentleman owning some of the finest race horses in the world.

The big steamer Hermonthis, which passed up to Nanaimo on Monday, is the pioneer vessel of a big line of steamers known as the Kosmos line, plying between Hamburg and ports on the west coast of America.

The China Mail of the 18th of June records the death of a soldier, Sapper Lambert, who was removed to the plague hospital on the previous day from a tent at Wellington barracks.

The complete saloon list of passengers arriving on the Empress is as follows: Miss E. H. Alcorn, Fleet Engineer Alca, R. N., Capt. Andain, Mr. C. J. Andrus, Mr. Barber, Major-General Barrow, C. E., Mrs. A. Bonstedt, Mr. H. Bertram, Miss J. S. Blackmore, Gen. R. Bourge, Master Frank Bradbury, Mr. H. G. Brand, Mrs. H. G. Brand, Mr. Byron Brennan, C. M. G., Mr. G. Noel Brown, Mrs. Bryan, Miss Bryan, Miss L. Bryan, Miss C. Bryan, Master Bryan, Mr. W. T. Bussinger, Mrs. W. T. Bussinger, Capt. G. D. L. Chatterton, Mr. E. Collins, Capt. Houson Crawford, Mr. D. Crystal, Mrs. D. Crystal, Miss H. Darby, Miss M. L. Darley, Miss E. L. Davis, Mr. Drysdale, Mr. S. H. Dyer, Mr. J. E. Eastwood, Mr. C. M. Ede, Mr. E. Spencer Ellum, Mr. A. J. Spencer Ellum, Mr. R. E. Fiddley, Mrs. R. E. Fiddley, Mr. C. C. Fitzmorris, Capt. L. Fontenoy, Capt. Lvbyk, Capt. W. G. Fontenoy, Mr. A. Gaffney, Miss O. G. Fontenoy, Capt. Hammond, Capt. F. W. Harris, Mrs. F. W. Harris, child and nurse, Mr. J. H. Haskin, Mr. A. J. Haskin, Mr. Samuel Hill, Count Hogon, Mr. Huges, Mrs. Huges, 2 children and governess, Miss Huges, Mr. J. D. Hutchinson, Miss Innes, Mr. W. B. Iard, Mr. W. T. James, Mr. Fernald Jonsen, Mr. R. Kaufmann, Gen. Von Kettler, Mr. P. Klorhoff, Mr. G. Kraun, Mr. Tator, Mr. C. J. Lafrenz, Rec. Leigh Layman, Mrs. Leigh and 2

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COAL SHIPMENTS. The following is the report of the San Francisco Coal Market, for the week ending July 13th, issued by J. W. Harrison, the coal and metal broker.

During the week there have been two arrivals of coal from Oregon, 18,380 tons; six from Washington, 33,280 tons; three from British Columbia, 10,467 tons; total, 24,977 tons.

In company with the racers a part of their journeyings was a party of prominent Americans, including Samuel Hill, a close-in-law of President Hill, of the Great Northern, and Mr. Labour, a gentleman owning some of the finest race horses in the world.

A PIONEER LINKER.

The big steamer Hermonthis, which passed up to Nanaimo on Monday, is the pioneer vessel of a big line of steamers known as the Kosmos line.

On this trip she has thus far secured only a commission to take about 1,000 tons of such coal from the Puget Sound, Mazatlan, Mexico, but will probably go to Vancouver for cargo, and from there to Seattle, Portland and Tacoma.

The Kosmos line has 28 steamers in its service, and is steadily extending the length of its fleet of work, and it is decided to make the Puget Sound into a regular one other ships will probably be added to the line.

Besides being a freighter the Hermonthis carries passengers, having 12 first-class and 14 second-class state rooms. Everything is kept scrupulously clean, and the officers and crew are most courteous.

TRAVEL IS HEAVY.

Travel by ocean is now very heavy on the San Francisco route. Every steamer leaving here within the last three or four weeks has carried all the passengers for whom accommodation could be found.

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MARINE NOTES.

There will be a C. P. N. sailing to-night and to-morrow night for the Shagway and will carry considerable freight. The Louisie will be the vessel to follow.

The Oceanic from Liverpool has reached New York. The Deutchland from New York has arrived at Plymouth.

The tug Lorne took the bark Highlands down to the Roads from Chemainus

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MUSICAL PRODIGES.

Paloma and Karla Schramm Delight Their Listeners in Concert. Programme.

Victorians, those who filled the school-room of the First Presbyterian church last evening, heard perform two of the greatest child pianists on the continent. Little Paloma Schramm is no stranger to this city, having been here a few years ago, residing at a concert which won for her the encomiums of all who listened to her marvellous playing. She has been as far north as Nanaimo, accompanied by her father and little sister, Karla, a child possessing, proportionately to her years, the same phenomenal talents as Paloma.

It falls to the lot of few indeed to become great in the musical profession at the tender ages of nine and eleven, but Paloma and Karla Schramm have acquired almost supernatural ability. They have by instinct what students have striven after for half a lifetime. Of German parentage, although born in Los Angeles, they possess many of the characteristics inherent with all the great artists of the Fatherland. A yearning spiritual effect always dominates, and the audience is held enraptured. It would be difficult to find from the recent concert what really gave most pleasure, as each number was rendered with an expression that gave it its own distinctive charm and beauty. But there were a few features to the entertainment which stamped the youthful pianists as prodigies in their chosen profession. One of these was the remarkable improvisations of Paloma. Themes, prepared during the first part of the programme, were submitted, containing three or four bars in the treble clef, and from these the little musician selected indistinctly and improvised from them. These demonstrations proved beyond doubt the performer's thorough mastery of her work, and at the same time showed her wonderful versatility.

Another feature of the concert was the duet playing of Paloma and Karla, the selection from "El Trovatore" and the "Battle of the Giants" being gems that greatly enhanced the poetic grandeur of the programme. Another attractive number was a descriptive composition which, by delicate shading and expression, imagery of a shepherd's life is given, the bells of the animals producing a charming effect. The instruments used in the concert was a Gherard-Heintzman, selected by Paloma and loaned for the occasion by Messrs. Fletcher Bros.

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"Baron" Ivan de Malchin, Russian Adventurer, Is Due on the Coast.

Interviewed in Winnipeg—Career of Escaped and Matrimonial Ventures Galore.

"Baron" Ivan de Malchin, the hero of escapes innumerable and of sword contests galore, is coming to the coast again. Neither Victoria or Vancouver will be included in his itinerary, but Seattle is the city to be glorified by his distinguished presence. Since leaving here, after the trio of farces dignified by the appellation of contests with the late Major Elliot, he has experienced many vicissitudes. He is still the debonair, hazy, but accomplished "Baron"; the Russian nobleman exiled owing to his radical political opinions, so he says, and some day when the ban of expatriation is lifted from his devoted head he will return to the land of the Tsar and settle down. He was recently in Winnipeg, and was cornered by a Telegram reporter. In the account of the interview, he received enough advertisement to last him until he returns to Russia. Of him the Winnipeg paper says:

"Baron" Ivan de Malchin, the young Russian who claims to be the champion swordsman of the world, and whose remarkable career in Pacific coast cities two years ago furnished the newspapers with lively reading, arrived in the city yesterday morning. "The Baron" spent several hours here before proceeding on his journey to Seattle, where, he says, he will shortly have a sword contest for the championship of the world with Colonel Charles Russell, of the United States cavalry, of Fort McDowell.

"De Malchin's career reads like the veriest romance. He is known in every city of importance in America, and his name has a European reputation as a swordsman."

Two years ago the Winnipeg press dispatched from Vancouver, B. C., an announced that the "Baron" would visit the Prairie City for the purpose of giving a number of exhibitions of swordsmanship to the general public. The dispatches also intimated that De Malchin had lived in extravagant style both in Vancouver and Victoria. But the "Baron" did not come East. Instead he travelled south, and the next heard of him was that he was in San Francisco, in California, where he was engaged as a director of a school of horsemanship at the Golden Gate. "De Malchin, when seen this morning by a reporter for the Telegram, who had known him at the coast, in the rotunda of the Leland hotel, was not communicative in regard to his matrimonial ventures. He said he had been East trying to arrange a number of sword contests at the Pan-American exposition. When he had vanquished Colonel Russell at Seattle he would return East.

"De Malchin is about twenty-eight years of age, tall and handsome. When he appeared in Victoria, B. C., three years ago, dressed in the height of fashion, and with apparently an inexhaustible supply of money, he specially won many friends, even in the exclusive set. He announced himself as "Baron" de Malchin, and departed himself for a while as a real live baron should. Subsequently he had three sword contests, mounted and on foot, with Sergt. Major Elliott, an Englishman of gigantic stature. "The exhibitions were witnessed by the best people of the city, and for a time were popular. The box receipts went to De Malchin on two occasions, and he spent the money like water. On the third occasion the brawny Englishman, mounted on a fiery charger, descended upon the Russian like an avalanche, beat down his guard and sent him sprawling from his horse to the savannah.

"This was the beginning of the end of the "Baron" in Victoria. He, finally, found a lady in the tenting province, a fair De Malchin crossed to Vancouver. His career in the Terminal City is well known to many Winnipeggers. The handsome foreigner met with so many reverses that he finally dropped his title of "Baron." Finally, humiliated by a series of defeats, he again left the city and was not heard of again

A YOUTHFUL TRAMP.

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ST. JAMES'S GARDEN PARTY.

Pleasant Time Spent at the Home of Mrs. Vincent.

There was a good attendance at the residence of Mrs. Vincent yesterday afternoon and evening upon the occasion of the garden party held under the auspices of the ladies of St. James's church. The grounds were very prettily arranged with tables and stands. The various stands were presided over as follows: Ice cream, by Mrs. F. Vincent; butter, painting and air drawing, by Misses W. Laurin and Leiser; flower stand by Miss Russell; fish pond, by Misses V. Sweet and M. Kane; tea table, by Misses Burns, Cooley and George; candy stall, by Misses Finlayson and McKay; and fancy work, by Messrs. Curtis and Scott. The latter pointed out that the most interesting exhibit was a set of novelties.

In the evening the grounds were attractively lighted, The Cecilia orchestra was in attendance, and contributed a programme of music. The piano also furnished entertainment. Dancing on the lawn provided pleasure to many during the evening.

BUFFALO "FLAG INCIDENT."

Dr. Benedict Expresses Regret for Being Unwittingly the Cause of Trouble.

Toronto, July 16.—Provincial High School Inspector John Seats, who has been making inquiries for the government regarding the removal of British flags from the Archeological museum at the Pan-American exposition, has reported to Hon. Mr. Harcourt that the incident did not arise from any desire to give insult or offence and was devoid of features likely to cause international friction.

Dr. Benedict, director of the Ethnological building, who is authorized to make any changes in displays under his charge, explained to Mr. Seats that in rearranging the exhibit he did so without the slightest thought of causing any annoyance or irritation, and that far from being an Anglophobe, he is a great admirer of British institutions. He adds that he will be glad to make any suggested rearrangement of the exhibit. Mr. Harcourt also received a letter from Dr. Benedict conveying the same views and expressing regret for being unwittingly the cause of the trouble.

There will be no more doubts as to making. The coin, which has been legal tender "at and after the rate of 25¢," since the third year of Queen Victoria's reign, is abolished. The doubleton shall, from the 1st day of April next, cease to be current or legal tender in the island.

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But the Coffee Habit Can Be Put Off.

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My brother is also using Postum instead of coffee and a friend of mine, Mr. W., who was a great coffee user, found himself growing more and more nervous and was troubled at times with dizzy spells. His wife suffered with nausea and indigestion, also from coffee. They left it off and have been using Postum Food Coffee for some time and are now in a perfect condition of health." Grace C. M., Cayuga Falls, Ohio.

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The case of Robert Williams, of the Rock Bay saloon, charged with an infraction of the Liquor Traffic Regulation Act in supplying liquor on Sunday, was dismissed. The case had stood over for a week in order to allow the magistrate to delve into some authorities on the subject. The accused had admitted supplying the liquor, but through his counsel pointed out that the magistrate was wrong in his decision that morning it is quite evident that the two men to whom the liquor was supplied came under that category.

Charles Winchester, driver, employed by the scavenging establishment of Mrs. Lines, was charged with an infraction of the law. His offence consisted in conveying a quantity of garbage, including decayed vegetables and antiquated eggs, through Commercial Alley between the hours of 6 a.m. and 12 p.m., in contravention of the act. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 or one week's imprisonment.

Ah Wah was charged with an infraction of the Revenue Tax Act in refusing to pay his revenue tax. The information was withdrawn, however, as Ah Wah thought better of the matter and paid the required amount and costs. He thereby thought the collector was bluffing.

SPORTING.

TRAVIS DEFEATED.

North Berwick, Scotland, July 16.—Norman Hunter, of Oxford University, beat W. J. Travis, the American golfer, in a 90-hole match, two up and one to play.

BASEBALL.

NEW CLUB ORGANIZED.

The Maple Leavies, an intermediate baseball club, has been organized under the captaincy of T. Allen. There is some excellent material among them. Communications should be forwarded to Geo. Smith.

BRIGADE WON.

The 2nd Victoria Company Boys' Brigade and the Independents contested a game of baseball at Beacon Hill on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Victory fell to the Brigade by a score of 34 to 25.

LACROSSE.

VICTORIA vs. NEW WESTMINSTER.
Quite a crowd of spectators were present at the Caledonia grounds last evening and watched the local team doing their work in preparation for Saturday's struggle with New Westminster, which takes place at the Caledonia park. Last evening they had a game, with the intermediates for the purpose of perfecting their combination play. This evening they will have another hard hour's practice.

Speaking of the coming match, one of the players said: "We have a hard team to run up against; one that has not been defeated for three years. It will, however, surprise me very much if we do not turn them down on Saturday. The boys have all been practicing regularly, and are in the best form they have been this season. Besides, we will be strengthened considerably since we met the champions in New Westminster. Haley Wilson is out again, having entirely recovered from his accident, and will assist the home very much. The boys in blue will do their utmost to

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C. P. R.'S HAND AGAIN.

The Canadian Pacific people found there was a point beyond which their servants in the Legislature dare not go in their efforts to preserve its monopoly. Public opinion in the province was too strong to permit of the rejection of the application for a charter of the Crow's Nest Southern Railway Company. But the C. P. R. has not yet surrendered to public opinion. It has carried the matter to a quarter where it is supposed public opinion has no effect. The Canadian Pacific Company owns the lands through which the Crow's Nest people are building their line, and has also filed plans in Ottawa and Nelson for a railway over the route which its rival proposed to run. These facts were not noted abroad with sound of trumpet. Nothing would have been gained and much might have been lost by too much publicity being given to this stroke of enterprise. The employees of both companies are now upon the same ground, and the C. P. R. has secured an injunction restraining the Crow's Nest people from continuing their line up Morrisey Creek. An application for a continuance of the injunction will be heard before the courts in Vancouver to-day.

Into the merits of the case it is not possible to enter at this time. We simply draw attention to this latest development for the purpose of showing that the efforts of the C. P. R. to maintain a monopoly for itself in British Columbia are very real. There was nothing very tangible to point to in proof of this at the sitting of the Legislature. The presence of the agents of the company in the lobbies and the evidence of hypnotic influences inside of the House were undeniable, but the means by which the subtle work was accomplished was a secret. It was not a matter which it was advisable to advertise. The securing of the injunction which is under consideration in Vancouver to-day was a matter in which the people of British Columbia are greatly interested, but it was not sent out as news by the ubiquitous correspondent. Great is the power of a corporation which controls railways, wires, press and legislature. It is a consolation to know that its unhallowed influences have not yet been extended to the courts. The news of the granting of the injunction leaked out, however, and was published in the Fort Steele Prospector.

The company is no doubt within its rights in fighting in a legitimate manner to the last ditch in defence of what it conceives to be its rights in a country which promises it great rewards in the future. The public also have rights, however. If the people decide that monopoly is an evil and that competition is in their interests, it seems to us that it is a mistake to oppose the general will, as the C. P. R. has done in Manitoba and is now doing in British Columbia. Even the securing of a majority in a legislature will be of no avail. Popular assemblies are transient institutions. An

aroused populace will dispose summarily of all who are suspected of having betrayed the trust confided to them. At the last session of the House of Commons at least one charter was refused to the C. P. R. for a line in Manitoba because it was thought the application was not bona fide, but merely a subterfuge to shut out competition. It is hinted that this attempt to prevent the construction of the Crow's Nest Southern falling in one direction, an effort will be made to prevent its crossing the boundary on the ground that it has not the right to do so under a provincial charter. Surely the eagerness of the officials of the C. P. R. to secure privileges for the corporation which they serve so faithfully has not completely blinded them to some self-evident facts. The people of British Columbia want to see the Crow's Nest Southern Railway built, and their will cannot be permanently thwarted. His the case of Manitoba conveyed no lesson to the minds of these men? The good-will of a whole province should be of some value to a business concern of the magnitude of the C. P. R. The antagonism which has been aroused in Manitoba it would surely be a mistake to sow over the whole of the western part of the system.

DOMINANCE OF TRUSTS.

John Burns, the British labor agitator, draws attention to a phase of the concentration of capital movement in the United States which has not yet been dwelt upon. That is the political power which these immense organizations will wield. Employers control to some extent the votes of their employees. It is only the few who think for themselves and cast their ballots according to well-pondered conviction. In countries where protection rules the threat that the return of a certain party to power will mean the shutting up of factories and workshops exercises a potent influence upon the mind of the voter. In his heart he may be convinced that it is only a bluff, but the subtle suggestion of wife and children ill-fed and insufficiently clothed settles the point and he determines to take no chances. The Democratic cartoons of the trusts dominating the United States politically are therefore not so far from the truth after all. The manufacturers hold the balance of power as between the parties, and only a great crisis, severing all political ties, can produce the conditions necessary for a change of policy. Movements are of slower growth in Europe than in America. The probability is that the test will have been applied as to the permanence of the institutions on this side before the example of America in this particular is followed. The developments of the next few years will be watched with eagerness by the philosophers who are interested in the struggles of the human race. They are lucky who have been placed by circumstances upon a pinnacle from which they may view with equanimity the efforts of their fellow-men to attain the freedom which all crave.

AN AMERICAN ON THE BRITISH.

An officer was commissioned by the United States government to observe and report upon the manner in which the war in South Africa was conducted. This report has been published and should have some effect upon the comments of American papers antagonistic to everything British if the editors are open to conviction, which is very doubtful. The government is at present feeding and providing shelter for between eighty-five and eighty-six thousand men, women and children, besides thousands of prisoners. Captain Slocum, the officer alluded to, makes the following remarks which are especially apropos in this connection: "The British have been too merciful, and I believe that had a more rigorous course been adopted when the army first entered Bloemfontein, and the enemy thoroughly stamped on, the war would have been materially shortened. Lord Roberts was undoubtedly deceived by the general professions of submission." As bearing upon the alleged decadence of the British as fighters, the captain remarks that "if ever a people or a nation exemplified the phrase 'brave to a fault' it is the British. If they were less brave there would have been many less faults and more victories. The infantry never rushed in their attack, but marched calmly forward. I saw mounted men who were waiting for orders to advance sit erect, making a perfect target for a rifle at short range. They have not the individuality or resource of our men, but for indomitable courage, uncompromising fortitude and implicit obedience they are beyond criticism. Caution they have not. They just butt ahead and take the consequences." Men who have every qualification necessary in a soldier save caution will soon acquire the one thing needful to make them perfect in their business. There are said to be essentials in a man of war which cannot be inculcated by precept, example or experience. Some of the British generals are criticized rather severely in this remarkable report. The following is the reference to "Bois": "Lord Roberts was confronted with a crisis which would have staggered and been the undoing of many a commander-in-chief. Like the privates, some of the officers just 'bunt ahead' and take the consequences. Lord Roberts is a shining exception to this rule. Taking him for all in all, I consider him a remarkable man and general."

MESSAGES FROM MARS.

One evening I was looking at the planets and the stars. When I noticed through my telescope a signalling from Mars. It was done with dots and dashes, and with both hands and with strokes. Which made a sort of alphabet well known to little folks. I took it down in character, and took it up to bed. And this was the translation which at morning light I read: "You're a funny little people, we can't make you out at all. For you walk in strange positions round a slightly flattered ball. And some of you contrive to drive and ride on two thin wheels. Yet your bodies are not bottomers, and you do not use your heels. We notice that you carry little shelters, when it rains. Does water wash your fur off and produce unpleasant pains?"

WHERE THE PREMIERS CAME FROM.

Since Confederation the premiership has been held by three Ontario men—Macdonald, Mackenzie and Bowell; by two Quebec men—Abbott and Laurier; and by two Nova Scotians—Thompson and Tupper. When we take into account length of service, Ontario's preponderance is much greater. It held the premiership continuously from 1867 to 1897 and for more than a year afterwards, in all 25 1/2 years out of 34. Quebec, between Sir John Abbott and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, has had six years, and Nova Scotia a little more than two years. All leaders of the free party—Macdonald, Mackenzie, Blake and Bowell, have been Ontario men; two, Abbott and Laurier, Quebec men; and three, Thompson, Tupper and Borden, Nova Scotians.

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conducted. It is a relief to read the thoughts of one American who has been on the ground and knows what he is talking about. He found no evidence of decadence and a great deal that is to our credit. We hope his report will be read by those for whose benefit it was prepared.

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GENERAL BOOTH SUMS UP.

London Express. As the result of 35 years' work, said General Booth recently, the Salvation Army was to be found in 47 countries, and had literature in 90 different languages. The army had over 7,200 separate societies, with 34,000 officers and 40,000 lay officers; 600 social institutions, with 1,700 officers; a labor bureau, giving employment to 6,800 people; 100 revenue places in workshops and factories and 13 farm colonies. The army also sheltered 15,000 outcasts every evening, and had given away millions of breakfasts.

WHAT WE ARE DOING IN INDIA.

Ottawa Free Press. One of the documents recently presented to parliament casts much light on the causes of the increasing imperial solidarity and loyalty in British India. It shows a remarkable energy on the part of the native princes in connection with university extension, but its main significance may be found in the assurance that to-day there are 4,000,000 children in the public schools. Half a century ago they numbered 150,000.

POLITICS MADE GEORGIC.

Hamilton Herald. "Politics don't pay," said the Hon. George E. Foster, with his nose in the air, when asked whether he would run for addition. Just listen to that now. If it hadn't been for politics, George E. Foster would probably have remained a school teacher or a peripatetic temperance advocate talking prohibition at \$10 per talk.

THE SOLDIERS' RIBBON.

That Which Will Be Attached to the South African Medal. The ribbon for the South African medal, which is now in preparation, will be more distinctive than some of those issued to the British army, though it will not be quite so daring as the rainbow ribbon attached to the Scinde medal of 1843, and the Afghanistan medals of 1838 and 1878-80, which consist of narrow vertical stripes of red, white, orange, white, and blue alternately. The South African war medal of 1890-1901 will have a ribbon of three colors, red on the edges, dark blue next, and a centre, 1/2 inch wide, of orange. The latter color has always been dominant in the South African medals, no doubt selected on account of the traditional connection of the House of Orange with the Cape Colony.

The ribbon awarded to those who fought against the chief Hintza in the Kaffir war of 1845 is of orange, 1 1/4 inches wide, with four narrow vertical navy-blue stripes. A similar ribbon was attached to the South African medal of 1846-7 (when the famous Sir Harry Smith again subdued the Kaffirs), and to the medals issued for the Galka war in Eastern Cape Colony in 1877, and the Zulul war against the Zulus in 1879. Orange is also the color of the ribbon issued for the campaign of Madras and Seringapatam by the old East India company in 1799, but this has no bars of any other color. Red is the color of the V. C. ribbon and the Victoria Cross, while pale blue is worn by naval wings of the bronze cross. A narrower pale blue ribbon belongs to certain Indian and Burmese campaigns in the early part of the last century. Red and white appear on the ribbons of several famous medals, headed by the Albert medal, instituted in 1877 for gallantry in saving life on land. The Abyssinian ribbon, for the campaign of 1867-8 is also red and white, and so is the Syrian, granted for the operations against Mehemet Ali in 1840. In both cases the body of the ribbon is red and the edges are white. A more important ribbon, that of the Indian Mutiny Medal, has the same colors, but the ribbon is white with two vertical red bars.

The old Peninsula ribbon is red with blue edges, and so is the Waterloo. The New Zealand medal, granted for the two Maori wars of 1845 and 1860, has a navy blue ribbon with one vertical red stripe. The Star of the Gobi, for the campaign in which the Sikhs were defeated in 1845-6 has a blue ribbon, but red edges instead of stripes. The China ribbons for the two wars, 1840 and 1856, are red with yellow edges. The Ghalznee medal (Afghanistan, 1839), is half green and half red. The same colors appear on the Turkish ribbons of the Medjidie and the Osmanlic, awarded to our troops who took part in

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Children's Oil Grain Boots, well finished (220 pairs), were \$1.00, \$1.15 and \$1.25; sale price, per pair, 50c. Children's Buttoned and Laced Boots, all kinds in this lot, were \$1.00, \$1.05, \$1.10 and \$1.15 per pair; sale price, 75c. Children's Buttoned Boots, patent tips, were \$1.05; sale price, \$1.00.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY.

Ladies' Brown Cotton Underwear, low neck, short sleeves; sale price, 5c. Ladies' White Ribbed Cotton Vests, short sleeves; sale price, 8c. Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Vests, fancy front; sale price, 3 for 25c. Ladies' Cotton Vest, long 15c and 20c. Ribbed Wool Vests, 25c, 35c, and 50c; regular 35c, 50c, and 65c. Ladies' Silk Platted Combinations, Plak and White, long or short sleeves, \$2.50 quality and \$1.25 per pair; sale price, \$2.50. An odd lot of Natural Wool Vests; sale price, 35c each.

SILK SALE TO-DAY AND THURSDAY.

Special Sale White Skirts To-Day and Thursday. See Yesterday's Paper For Particulars.

SPENCER'S Boot and Shoe, Underwear and Hosiery Sale FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

We have invoices for nearly \$16,000 worth of Boots and Shoes for next season. To get our stock as low as possible before the new goods arrive we have gone through and thrown out all lines in which the assortment of sizes are broken, and all boots that have not sold as well as we would like. For quick selling we have sorted the various kinds of Boots into the least number of prices as possible. All lines advertised below are extraordinary bargains. In each lot we have from 75 to 180 pairs.

Ladies' Boots. One lot (180 pairs), were \$1.85, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.75 per pair; sale price, \$1.35. Oxford, with patent tips, (40 pairs), were \$1.35 per pair; sale price, 75c. Ladies' Hosiery. Children's Ribbed Cotton Hose, all sizes, 10c pair. Fancy Lisle Thread Hose, 15c pair. Regular 35c quality for 25c. Regular 75c quality for 50c. Boys' Blouses. One table of 50c Blouses for 25c each. One table of 30c Blouses for 35c each. One table of 65c and 75c Blouses for 50c each. Men's Warm Weather Underwear. Balbriggan Underwear, 35c suit. Cotton Underwear, 75c suit. Some Pure Wool Light Weight Underwear left from last week's sale, 75c each.

Silk Sale To-Day and Thursday. Special Sale White Skirts To-Day and Thursday. See Yesterday's Paper For Particulars.

It's not the gay coat makes the gentleman. Not merely what it seems! Not what the shoe cost—nor what its former price was—but its value today, should be considered! There are no bargain sales of "Slater Shoes" because the brand and price are taken off "degenerates" and "back numbers" before they are sold to "reduced price shoe Dealers." Value, up to the price stamped on the soles, by the Makers, \$4.00 and \$5.50 may be relied upon, in "The Slater Shoe" Goodyear Welted. J. H. BAKER AND J. FULLERTON, SOLE LOCAL AGENTS.

Tennis Rackets, Lacrosse Sticks, Fishing Tackle, Fine Scotch Flies, at 78 GOVERNMENT STREET FOX'S.

Still Busy? Yes, We're Always Busy! Don't ask the reason why. Just call and see the wonderful value we are offering in Groceries, then you will know the reason why. HUNGARIAN FLOUR, any kind, per sack, \$1.25. WHEAT FLOUR, per sack, 1.00. GRANULATED SUGAR, 15 lbs, for 1.00. FRUIT JARS, half-gallons, per doz, 1.25. FRUIT JARS, quarts, per doz, .90. FRUIT JARS, pints, per doz, .75. PURE NATIVE PORT WINE, per bottle, .25. The Saunders Grocery Co., Ltd. 33 AND 41 JOHNSON STREET.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Family Dispensary of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.



FOR PREVENTION USE OUR Pure Soaps DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

Clearance Sale Continued The Sterling, 39 Government Street The balance of our well-assorted stock of general DRY GOODS must be disposed of.

Bicycle Hose AT HALF PRICE Till Wednesday, July 17th. ALL \$1.00 BICYCLE HOSE... PHILLIPS, 104 GOVERNMENT STREET

WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, July 17, 5 a.m.—The barometer is steadily rising over the North Pacific Coast, therefore the weather is likely to remain fine and become warmer throughout this province.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF. Try new White Label Blue Ribbon Tea. Opposition steamer "Rosalia" sails for Seattle, daily, except Saturday, at 7.30 p. m.

TELEPHONE 700. For Pure Drugs, Chemicals and Toilet Articles. We are always at your service, and all orders will be delivered promptly to any part of the city free.

WE DO NOT KNOW WHETHER H. R. H. Duke of York USES White Swan Soap. Or, not, but we do know that it is the best Soap on the market for all household purposes.

—To wind up business the Sterling, 39 Government street, will dispose of the balance of their stock at wholesale prices.

—The Central W. C. T. U. will hold their regular meeting at the Refuge Home, Cormorant street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—In the provincial police court this afternoon the case of Ah Why, charged with the theft of seven chickens from J. Lister, of Tolmie avenue, came up and was remanded for a week.

—The campers in the vicinity of Foul Bay introduced an innovation into their daily programme last evening, in the shape of a dance.

—On Monday evening last, the city solicitor reported on the position of litigation in regard to the Craigflower road question.

—Vancouver Encampment, No. 1, I. O. O. F., held a meeting last evening, when the semi-annual installation of officers took place.

SOCIAL TO-NIGHT. C. E. Society Will Entertain in Victoria West.

—The raspberry and ice cream social and sale of work under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian church this evening at the home of Mrs. McKeggie.

CONCERNING BARBERS. Ald. Williams Has a Motion on Bulletin Board Interesting to Tonsorial Artists.

—The death occurred yesterday at the Jubilee hospital of Mrs. Deriah Gosse, wife of Capt. Gosse, of the sailing schooner Otto. Deceased was 41 years of age.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR STOMACH AND BOWEL TROUBLES. "I have been in the drug business for twenty years and have sold most of the proprietary medicines of my age.

Strawberries Strawberries WE ARE NOW TAKING ORDERS

JOHNS BROS. 255 Douglas Street. Were Not On Board

Canadian Representatives in the Round-the-World Race Not on Empress.

Led in the Event Yet July 5th—They May Win Yet.

Considerable disappointment was felt when the Empress of India arrived from the Far East yesterday that she had not as passengers two young Canadians expected to win out in a race around the world.

—The two Canadians are Messrs. Marion and Prince. They represent the big French publication the La Presse, of Montreal, whose proprietor, Hon. T. Berthelette, determined to see what Canada could do in the Chicago-American race.

—The excellence of the literary entertainment is assured by the following names, who have promised to assist: Misses Penwill, Russell, Pearl and McKenzie; Messrs. Semple, Cave, McKewen, Tranter, Lively and C. C. Chambers.

—Should a certain motion posted on the city hall bulletin board by Ald. Williams next Monday evening the city solicitor will have quite a little job on hand.

LEGAL NEWS. Supreme Court Sitting Concluded—County Court Opens To-Morrow.

—In the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon Mr. Justice Irving gave his decision in the case of Saunders v. Russell. He gave judgment for the defendant without costs, holding that the act of the defendant was within the law.

TO-LET COMFORTABLY FURNISHED HOUSE. 9 rooms and bath, lawn and fruit garden; splendid location; \$35.00 per month. SWINERTON & ODDY, 100 GOVERNMENT STREET.

Currants, Peaches, Raspberries, Apricots FOR PRESERVING

FRUIT JARS—Pints, Quarts and Half Gallons; all at lowest prices. ERSKINE, WALL & CO., THE LEADING GROCERS.

WE WANT To fill your prescriptions. Our dispensing department is complete, our drugs pure and fresh.

HALL & CO. DISPENSING CHEMISTS. Clarence Block, Cor. Yates and Douglas Sts. TO PLY ON THE ARM.

There is some talk in certain quarters of building a stern wheel craft for passenger travel up the Arm during the present summer.

It is understood that a party, consisting of the Premier, several members of his family and a number of the legislators, will shortly take a trip up the Coast as far as Hazelton.

PROPOSED TOUR. Premier and Others May Pay a Visit to the Northern Points.

TIDE TABLE. Victoria, B. C., July, 1901. (Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Table with columns for Day, High Water, Low Water, and various time measurements.

SHIPPING NOTES. The Seattle Times says: "The Victoria passenger traffic is increasing to enormous proportions."

PASSED 15 WORMS. I gave Dr. Low's Worm Syrup to my little girl two and one-half years old.

Morley's Linen-Mesh Underwear. Linen is beyond all doubt, the best material for underwear.

It absorbs more readily, gives off and the body is thus encased in dry instead of damp garments. MORLEY'S is made of a specially woven, porous fax fabric.

Geo. R. Jackson, Hatter, Furnisher and Tailor. Having received a consignment of the above goods, which we guarantee as perfectly pure, we are prepared to sell same at a low figure.

Experience The Best Teacher.

Men's, Youths' Boys' Clothing

McCandless Bros. 37 Johnson St.

Boy Campers. Want camp clothing. We have good.

Blue Denim Overalls. With bibs and patent cast off braces, in all sizes at 40c and 50c Pair.

Boys' Striped Galatea English Cotton Blouses. Fast dark colors, good weavers, big generous sizes for boys up to 14 years old.

Boys' Ribbed Stockings. Fast black, 25c Cents Pair.

Boys' Straw Hats. Boater styles, flat rims, leather inside sweat bands. All sizes 15 Cents Each.

W. G. Cameron, VICTORIA'S CHEAPEST CASH CLOTHIER. 55 Johnson St.

You Don't Half Enjoy Bicycling. Unless you have a Coaster Brake.

Coaster Brake. We will attach these to any chain driven bicycle for \$6.00 and \$8.00.

M. W. Waitt & Co. 44 Government Street.

FRUIT JARS AT Watson & McGregor's Telephone 745. 90 Johnson Street.

Maple Sugar and Syrup. Having received a consignment of the above goods, which we guarantee as perfectly pure, we are prepared to sell same at a low figure.

WATSON & HALL, PHONE 448. 55 YATES ST.

WHAT WILL TASTE GOOD?

The Palate vs. the Stomach

The average woman who considers what she shall eat, asks herself, "What will taste good?" She rarely remembers that the object of eating is to provide nutrition to sustain the body and that the palate does not determine the nutritive value of food.



pepsia, torpid liver and constipation, writes Mrs. Julia E. Deane, of Duluth, Minn. "I could scarcely eat anything at all. I would have attacks of pain something like colic, and sometimes it seemed as though I could not live. I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce, stating my condition, and in a few days received a kind letter of advice, telling me to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took four bottles, and one vial of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and now I can eat anything I want and it don't hurt me.

"It is peculiar to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery that it accomplishes cures which seem absolutely wonderful. The test of a superior man is his ability to do something which others have tried and failed in doing. That's the test of a superior medicine. It is under this test that the astonishing creative power of "Golden Medical Discovery" becomes evident. When doctors and other medicines fail the use of the "Discovery" results in a lasting cure. Such a cure is illustrated in the testimonial of Mrs. Harrison, which follows:

"My sister (of Arlington, Wash., D. C.) was taken very sick and had several doctors. They could not do her any good and told my mother they would not come any more, as the doctor said she could not get well. She had "wasting" of the digestive organs. My mother said to my sister, "Well, I almost know that Dr. Pierce's medicines will cure her." So she bought six bottles, three of "Golden Medical Discovery," three of "Favorite Prescription" and some of the "Pellets"; and now my sister is a well woman.

ish the body with material in which there is little, if any, nutrition. It must be said that the men are not far behind the women in this respect. They eat pie and doughnuts for lunch because these "taste good," without the slightest regard to the nutritive purpose of eating, and in general have not the least idea of the nutritive value of the food they eat.

It is true that natural food products, such as fruits, vegetables, etc., appeal to the palate and tempt it, and are the better therefore. The evil is that in what might be called artificial foods—foods not grown but manufactured; the palate is tempted by flavors, sauces and condiments to its own deception, to the injury of the stomach and the loss of nutrition. Eat sparingly of simple foods at regular times and there will be little use for doctors. It is the pandering to the palate at the expense of the stomach which brings stomach disease and its attendant evils.

"If of no use to cry for 'spilt milk,'" says the proverb. It is no use to regret irregular and careless eating when the mischief is done and dyspepsia or some other form of stomach trouble has fastened its hold upon us. The thing to do then is to cure the disease, and get back again to the old condition of health. The quickest way to cure indigestion and other diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition is to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Its cures are permanent because they are perfect. The cause of disease is removed and the body restored to its condition of normal health.

Provincial News

FOUR STRUCK. On Wednesday last, the 10th inst., death brought to Mrs. Susan E. Dimmick a happy release from a long period of sickness and suffering. She was conscious to within a few hours of her death. She had been a resident of Fort Steele for about four years, removing here from Tekoa, Washington, in 1897.

GREENWOOD. A pretty wedding occurred at the Central hotel when Mr. Arthur McGarr and Miss Isabel McIntyre were united in marriage. Rev. A. Anderson, of the Presbyterian church, officiating. All the preliminary arrangements for the Labor Day celebration have now been made. It is expected that about \$2,000 will be offered in prizes, and that the programme will be the most attractive ever offered in the Boundary.

A telegraph communication from J. Ray Miller to his brother Will in this city conveyed the sad news of the death of their father Thomas Miller which occurred at Los Angeles. Mr. Miller shortly after his election as alderman in the North Ward in January last was taken ill and was confined to his bed for several weeks. He sat at the council board on the day of the memorial services in connection with the death of the Queen. He went first to Phoenix, Arizona, and then to Southern California, but he was unable to shake off his illness. Mr. Miller was born in Scotland some 65 years ago. Proceeding to New Zealand when 18 years of age, he soon became a prominent figure in that colony and held public office. He came to British Columbia in 1896, and visiting Greenwood in that year he decided to remain here. He invested in Greenwood real estate

Garfield Tea

For Liver and Kidneys and Impure Blood. All Druggists.

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Souvenir of the Royal Visit.

Victoria Daily Times

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Which will be published concurrently with the holding of the B. C. Agricultural Exhibition.

This number, which is issued under the patronage of His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen, will consist of fifty or sixty pages, printed on the finest paper, and embellished with over one hundred fine half-tone engravings, illustrating the resources of British Columbia and the beauties and wealth of Victoria and Vancouver Island.

Over 30,000 copies of this superb magazine edition, which will be enclosed in a handsome cover, will be circulated at the time of the Exhibition, thus affording an Excellent Opportunity For Advertisers to bring before the numerous visitors to Victoria during this civic carnival their ability to cater to the wants of the public.

As the advertising will be limited, application should be made early for space to

The Times Printing and Pub. Co.

Tenders for Stone, Sand, Gravel and Piles.

Sealed tenders, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Monday, the 22nd inst., at 3 o'clock p. m., for Rubble and Cut Stone per cubic yard of Granite and Sandstone, delivered on scows or on land, where required, at James Bay Mill Flats and Point Ellice Bridges; also for quantity of clean, sharp Sand and Beach Gravel per cubic yard, and Piles per lineal foot.

For particulars as to quantities, size and how cut, see specifications in the office of undersigned.

The successful tenderer will be required to enter into a contract, with proper security satisfactory to the Corporation of the City of Victoria, for due performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent for the Corporation of the City of Victoria,
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., July 19th, 1901.

To Painters

Sealed bids, endorsed "Tenders for Painting and Glazing," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to Monday, the 22nd inst., at 3 p. m., for painting and glazing at the Agricultural Hall. The main building, chicken house, new hand stand, new office building, front fence and gates to be all done as per specification, to be seen at the office of the undersigned.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Building Inspector,
City Hall, 12th July, 1901.

Tenders For Building

An iron and brass foundry, 75 feet by 60 feet, addition to Marine Iron Works, will be received to July 24th. Plans to be seen at the Works, Pembroke street.

ANDREW GRAY.

RESERVES

Notice is hereby given that all the unappropriated Crown lands situated within the boundaries of the following areas are hereby reserved from pre-emption, sale, or other disposition, excepting under the provisions of the mining laws of the Province, for two years from the date hereof, pursuant to the provisions of sub-section (5) of section 41 of the "Land Act," as amended by section 5 of the "Land Act Amendment Act, 1901," to enable the Pacific Coast Power Company, Limited, to select therefrom timber lands for the purpose of power and paper manufacturing purposes, as provided by an agreement bearing date the 13th day of June, 1901, viz:

Area 1—All the surveyed land on both sides of Kingscome River, and the land surveyed between Kingscome and Bond Sound.

Area 2—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 1, then following up the river at the head of Thompson's Sound and its branches, a distance of ten miles, and having on each side thereof a strip of one mile.

Area 3—Commencing at the northern boundary of Lots 45, 55 and 56, on the Klama-Klene River; thence north along the said river and its branches five miles, and having a width on each side of one-half mile, including all surveyed lands.

Area 4—Commencing on Wakeman Sound at the southwest corner of Lot 61; thence west on the 51st parallel of latitude to a point north of Embury Lagoon; thence south to said lagoon; thence southwesterly following the passage between Kinnaird Island and Pandora Head to Mile Postway; thence to Queen Charlotte Sound; thence southwesterly along the shore line of Noel Channel, and easterly along the shore north of the mouth of Kingscome river; thence north along the west shore of Wakeman Island to the point of commencement.

Area 5—Consisting of Harbledown and Turner Islands.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 22nd June, 1901.

NOTICE

All mineral rights are reserved by the Dominion Government in the lands bounded by the East and West boundaries of the Boundary District, on the east by the Straits of George, on the north by the 50th parallel of latitude, on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway Land Grant.

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WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office,
10th to 16th July, 1901.
With the exception of showers in this vicinity and heavier rains upon the Lower Mainland upon Wednesday, 10th, and Tuesday, 11th, the weather has been generally fair and moderately warm this side of the Cascade ranges. These rains were due to the eastward passage of two ocean low barometer areas across the southern portion of this province. Otherwise the barometer has been high in this vicinity and particularly along the Coast, while further south, in Gaslar and Cariboo, the barometer has been low and rain has fallen upon nearly every day of the week. The hovering of the summer type of high pressure off the Coast has caused almost constant westerly winds, which frequently become strong over the Straits of Juan de Fuca, and upon two days exceeded this force at the mouth of the Fraser river. East of the Rocky Mountains there have been numerous thunderstorms. One of the severest occurred at Edmonton on Tuesday, 10th, when over two inches of rain and considerable hail fell in 24 hours. The weather has been moderately warm in the Territories and Manitoba—the highest daily temperature usually ranging from 70 to 85, and upon several occasions exceeded 90 degrees. The weather throughout the American Pacific slope has been warm and fine, with along the California coast high westerly winds have prevailed upon nearly every day of the week.
Victoria—The amount of bright sunshine recorded was 44 hours and 56 minutes; the rainfall was .05 inch; highest temperature was 85.5 on the 15th and 16th, and the lowest was 45.8 on the 12th.
New Westminster—Rainfall was .40 inch; highest temperature was 74 on the 15th, and the lowest was 46 on the 12th.
Kamloops—Rainfall was .18 inch; highest temperature was 84 on the 14th, and the lowest was 46 on the 11th.
Banffville—Over an inch of rain has fallen during this week.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by the B. C. Stock Exchange, Limited.)

New York, July 17.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchange to-day:
Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—	September	73 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
September	...	53 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Liverpool Wheat—	September	58. 6/16d.

New York, July 17.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange to-day:

American Sugar	137 1/2	142	137 1/2	141 1/2
U. S. & S. F.	115 1/2	116 1/2	114 1/2	115 1/2
People's Gas	114	115 1/2	114	115 1/2
Manhattan	117	120	117	120
D. R. T.	76	78 1/2	76	78 1/2
Union Pacific	105 1/2	107 1/2	102 1/2	107 1/2
Atchafson	73	77 1/2	73	77 1/2
Atchafson pfd.	94 1/2	97 1/2	94 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Steel	37 1/2	39 1/2	37 1/2	39 1/2
Louis & Nash	103 1/2	106	103 1/2	105 1/2
Southern Pacific	51 1/2	55 1/2	51 1/2	55 1/2
Southern Railway	28 1/2	30	28 1/2	30
Wabash pfd.	36	38	36	38
Missouri Pacific	104	106 1/2	103	106 1/2
Colorado Southern	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	13 1/2
Beir	35 1/2	38 1/2	35 1/2	38 1/2
Am. Tobacco	127 1/2	129 1/2	127 1/2	129 1/2
Amal. Copper	111 1/2	114 1/2	111 1/2	114 1/2
Chile. Great West.	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	22 1/2
Rock Island	34 1/2	36 1/2	34 1/2	36 1/2

WALL STREET.

New York, July 17.—The stock market opened irregular: Amal. Copper, 111 1/2; Atchafson, 73; do. pfd., 94 1/2; Amoskeag, 43 1/2; Brooklyn Transit, 76; Erie, 35 1/2; do. pfd., 64 1/2; Louisville, 103 1/2; Mo. Pac., 104; O. & W., 30 1/2; Reading, 37; do. 1st pfd., 74; St. P., 154 1/2; Sugar, 137 1/2; Southern, 53 1/2; Southern pfd., 83 1/2; Southern Pac., 51 1/2; Tenn. Coal & Iron, 57 1/2; U. S. P., 85 1/2; U. S. Steel, 37 1/2; do. pfd., 36 1/2; R. I., 149.

CAREER AND CHARACTER OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

An address by Joseph Choate, Ambassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his early struggles with the world—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and may be had by sending six 10-cent stamps to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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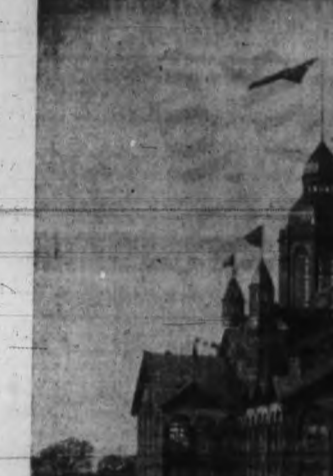
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This morning representatives from the city council and from the Agricultural Society visited the exhibition grounds and made a thorough inspection of the various buildings. Mayor Hayward, Aldermen Kinman, Beydon, Cooley and Engineer Poppe represented the city, while Secretary Roggs and Messrs. Morley, Goodacre and others appeared to set forth the claims of the Agricultural Society. At the grounds W. W. Northcott is now in charge of a party of workmen who are putting in the supports in the centre of the building with a view to taking the weight of the central dome off the rest of the building. The super-



THE AGRICULTURAL HALL.

erintendent of the work, which will be painted, will present a very imposing appearance, is being thoroughly overhauled. The foundation has been thoroughly inspected and has been found to be in first class condition. The inside will be embellished and all necessary repairs put upon it. In the rear of it the second building stands, which will be utilized for dairy exhibits and perhaps as a flower-room. Alongside is the open pavilion, to be used for agricultural machinery. The stock sheds, placed around the confines of the grounds, are to be all repaired and additional accommodation provided. Two hundred feet more of sheep pens are to be added, while all the sheds on the south side will be floored. In front of all the stables and pens a sidewalk will be laid for the comfort of visitors. The horse stalls are to be overhauled and latches put on all the doors. There are sixty horse stalls on the grounds, which may have to be increased in number. All the stables, including the poultry house, will be given a coat of whitewash inside. Other temporary buildings are contemplated to provide additional accommodation for the stock which may be entered for show purposes. Near the entrance to the grounds an office is to be erected which will serve as headquarters for the secretary and his assistants during the progress of the show. Fowler Park, which is very conveniently situated for the purpose, will be

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CORONATION CORONETS.
How the Emblems of Rank for Next Year's Ceremony are Being Made.

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From a reliable source, however, our representative learnt that the present intention is to have the crown of Her late Majesty preserved so that most of the stones will be retained. The number no fewer than 3,193, including 1,193 brilliant diamonds and 1,273 rose diamonds. The most famous of its jewels will, no doubt, continue to appear in the British crown. This is the large ruby presented to Edward Prince of Wales, son of Edward III, called the Black Prince, by the King of Castile after the battle of Navajos in 1367. The ruby was given to the helmet of Henry V at the battle of Agincourt in 1415—London Mail.

THE DEADLY HORSE.

History is repeating itself in the hue and cry raised in some quarters over the alleged peril to which the public is exposed by the increasing use of automobiles. One night in the suburbs of the alarmist talk on this subject, that a Red Cross hospital will be needed every cross-roads in the near future, to care for the maimed and dying victims killed. It was precisely this way that the people talked and prophesied in the early days of steam locomotion, and it will be the same, no doubt, with the advent of each new method of rapid transit adopted in the future. A French statistician has been investigating the subject of the accidents of locomotion, and is able to show, on the basis of actual facts and figures, that the man's old and faithful friend the horse is responsible for more casualties than all other motive agencies put together. In a record of 1,902 cases of people killed or injured in a single month in France, the horse was found responsible for 816, or over 80 per cent; the railways came next with about 9 per cent, and the remaining cases were about evenly divided between the bicycle and the automobile. The actual percentage of deaths due to automobiles the month was 3.26, and the percentage of injuries somewhat less. These figures have an added significance in the fact that automobiles are in more general use in France than anywhere else in the world. The obvious deduction from all this would seem to be that so far as considerations of safety are concerned it is not the first to the automobile, but to the horse—Leslie's Weekly.

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The funeral will take place from the residence, No. 57 South Turner street, on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.
Vancover, B. C., and Newfoundland mourners please copy.
PIGEON CARRIER SERVICE.
The pigeon post at Durban, in South Africa, was the beginning of the pigeon experiments conducted in recent campaigns between the English and Boers, and scores of messages were carried from one part of the English army to another by means of the birds. Col. Mansard, of the Royal Engineers, a staff officer at the Cape, had made a life study of the carrier pigeons, and before the war broke out he had established pigeon posts from most of the beleaguered cities. From Ladysmith, Kimberley and Mafeking, pigeons early in the sieges regularly brought in messages from the English soldiers cooped up in the towns. Sir George White's first message from Ladysmith was carried by a pigeon, and this means of communicating with the outside world continued until the number of birds in the city was exhausted. It was only a short time before that the English government had decided to establish a service of carrier pigeons. In the navy, pigeon posts were recognized means of carrying information as early as 1836, and there are over a thousand birds recorded on the books of the Royal Navy. The first naval loft was at Portsmouth, and now there are two others. In the English army the posts have been confined almost exclusively to the Cape, where the nature of the country makes the homing pigeon service of more value than in England.—St. Nicholas.

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